

Johnson Gets Bill for College Construction

By JOE HALL
Associated Press Staff Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate has sent to President Johnson the \$1.2-billion college construction aid bill — hailed by its supporters as the most important measure of its kind in a century.

Democratic leaders said jubilantly after the 54-27 vote that they looked to education as the brightest feature on the record of the 1963 session of Congress.

They said the college measure would be followed, perhaps late this week, by a \$1.56-billion vocational education bill on which Senate-House conferees reached final agreement Tuesday.

And they pointed to the \$231-million medical education bill, carrying funds to build new medical and dental schools and to make loans to students in these fields, signed Sept. 24 by the late President Kennedy.

Under the college bill, the nation's 2,100 private and public colleges would be eligible for aid to help in building classrooms, laboratories and libraries.

However, priority would go to those making plans to expand their facilities sharply to help meet the doubling of enrollments, expected to reach 7 million by 1970.

The three-year measure authorizes annually \$180 million in grants to four-year colleges, \$120 million in loans for the same institutions, \$50 million in grants for public junior colleges, and \$25 million the first year plus \$60 million each the second and third for grants to graduate schools. The programs would be on a matching basis.

The grants would be limited to buildings to be used for instruction of research in the natural and physical sciences, engineering, mathematics and modern foreign languages, and for libraries.

These restrictions were written in because many legislators felt that across-the-board grants were unconstitutional under the First Amendment to the Constitution prohibiting Congress from making any law respecting an establishment of religion.

Supporting the college aid bill were 37 Democrats and 17 Republicans, while 17 Democrats and 10 Republicans voted no.

Children Perish in Home Fire

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — A wood-burning stove was blamed for a fire that destroyed a frame house south of Little Rock and took the lives of three Negro children Tuesday.

Pulaski County Deputy Sheriff Doc Finto said the victims were James T. Sutton, 4; Jauritha Sutton, 2; and John Wes Sutton, 1.

Finto said Mr. and Mrs. Wes Sutton, parents of the children, were visiting neighbors when the fire was discovered.

Indications Are Freeman to Stay on

WASHINGTON (AP)—All indications are that Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman will remain indefinitely in the cabinet of President Johnson and no major farm policy switches are contemplated for 1964.

At a recent meeting, President Johnson was reported to have told Freeman with tongue in cheek that if Freeman tried to resign he would have him arrested.

Johnson and Freeman reportedly see eye to eye on most farm problems. And Johnson, suddenly engulfed with many major problems when he assumed the presidency with the assassination of President Kennedy, is glad to leave the farm matters with Freeman.

Here is the way those close to Freeman view the situation: Freeman will receive as much or possibly more, latitude to run his big department from Johnson as he enjoyed under Kennedy, who likewise leaned heavily on him in dealing with farm problems.

Johnson and Freeman think alike on such matters as working out plans to aid the low-income farmer.

Freeman had to convince Kennedy of the need for a new program. But Johnson, a Texas cattle rancher, grew up with a farm background and there will be less need to explain the situation.

Johnson and Freeman get along well personally. Both are politicians. Neither is concerned so much with philosophy as with how to get this or that problem solved.

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Bobcats Are Honored at Annual Banquet



LAST NIGHT SOME 175 PERSONS PAID TRIBUTE to members of the Bobcat team at an annual banquet at Hotel Barlow. The Hope team had a 11-1 record this season. LEFT TO RIGHT: HASKELL JONES, MASTER OF

ceremonies; Glenn Ballard, assistant coach; Herman (Moon) Mullins, principal speaker; Frank Francis, assistant coach; Coach Ben Burton and Bobcat Booster Club President, Bob Westbrook.

Road Icing in Area Near Jasper, Ark.

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
The State Police Department said Tuesday night that state Highway 7 near Jasper was hazardous for driving because of icing.

The Weather Bureau forecast dangerous driving conditions in north and central Arkansas today because of occasional rain and a few thunderstorms changing to freezing rain.

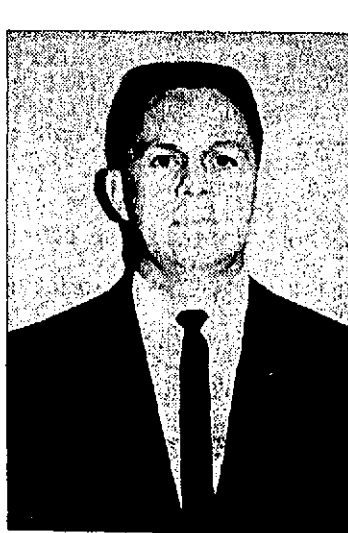
The forecast also called for increasing coldness in most sections of the state today, with highs around 40 in the northwest to 55 in the southeast.

Rain fell at Jasper Tuesday and froze to trees, highways and power lines.

Most of Arkansas got rain Tuesday, but only state Highway 7 was considered dangerous for traffic, the State Police reported.

Communities getting rain Tuesday included Harrison, Texarkana, Fort Smith, El Dorado, Fayetteville, Little Rock, Memphis, Pine Bluff, Walnut Ridge, Hope, Greenwood, Gurdon, Hector, Ozono, Pine Ridge and Langley.

Bill Gunter President of Hope C of C



Bill Gunter

Bill W. Gunter, a partner in the Gunter Retail Lumber Company and the recently established Hempstead Manufacturing Company, was named President of the Hope Chapter of Commerce for 1964 at the regular Board of Directors meeting last week. Bill, lifelong resident of Hope, has been a member of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce for the past two years, is a past chairman of the Hope Retail Promotion Association, treasurer of the Hope Lions Club, a Deacon in the First Baptist Church and serves as its training union director as well as a teacher in the Sunday School. He resides with his wife and two children on Wilson Drive in the Southland Heights Addition.

Eugene White was elected first vice-president and the other officers will be named at the January Board meeting. New Board members recently elected by the membership are: W. L. Tate, John B. Gardner Jr., E. J. Whitman, Steven Bader and Forest Singleton.

Leaves \$2 Million

SPOKANE, Wash. (AP) — F. Bert Magee, 79, a retired city bookkeeper, who lived simply while playing the stock market, left an estate of well over \$2 million.

Probate papers revealed Tuesday that Magee, who died Oct. 16, left his estate in trust. His widow, E. Marie, a nephew and two nieces will each receive 15 per cent of the income from the trust. He had no children.

Mrs. George Wylie, 74, Dies Tuesday in Hospital Here

Mrs. George Wylie, aged 74, lifelong resident of Hempstead County, died Tuesday in a local hospital. She was a member of the Hope Chapter of the order of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include her husband, three sons, Charles of Clarksville, Ark., George E. of West Monroe, La., and Arch Wylie of Hope; two daughters, Mrs. Charles Scott of Little Rock and Mrs. Margaret Roberts of Houston; two sisters, Mrs. Henry Dildy of Nashville and Mrs. Hugh Hardy of Sweetwater, Texas.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday at First Methodist Church by the Rev. Raymond Franks and the Rev. Gladys Connell. Burial will be in Rose Hill Cemetery.

Manslaughter Charge Is Filed

Cecil Fincher, Washington, has been charged with manslaughter in connection with the fatal shooting Nov. 5 of Artless Huntley, 23, year-old Washington Negro.

The shooting occurred at Fincher's home. The charge was filed by Prosecuting Attorney John Goodson and Deputy Al Graves.

Says Oswald Admired Mr. Kennedy

DALLAS (AP)—The housewife who sheltered the family of President Kennedy's accused assassin says Marina Oswald was a great admirer of the nation's chief executive.

Mrs. Ruth Paine, who took Russian-born Mrs. Lee Harvey Oswald into her home at near-by Irving for two months, told about the Oswalds' family life in an interview Tuesday with newsmen Wes Wise of Dallas station KRLL-TV.

On the day of the assassination, Mrs. Paine said she arose before Mrs. Oswald and her children, turned on the television set so they could watch Kennedy's arrival, and took her own young daughter to the dentist.

"I left the television on for Marina," Mrs. Paine said, "because I knew of the great admiration she had for the President."

Before the day ended Oswald was arrested and charged with killing both Kennedy and Police Officer J.D. Tippit. About 48 hours later a nationwide television audience and scores of newsmen saw Jack Ruby, Dallas striptease joint owner, kill Oswald.

Mrs. Paine said Mrs. Oswald came to live with her Sept. 24 because Oswald was out of work and worried about their new baby, expected in about a month.

Mrs. Oswald now is held in protective custody of the U. S. Secret Service at an undisclosed spot.

Mrs. Paine said when they learned a hidden rifleman had killed the President, Mrs. Oswald was almost overcome with grief and remarked how "awful it will be for Mrs. Kennedy to raise those two little children without a father."

Mrs. Paine said she and her husband met the Oswalds at a party before the Oswalds left Dallas to live briefly in New Orleans.

Wants Ruling on Board Post

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Woodruff County Rep. Jack Oakes has asked Atty. Gen. Bruce Bennett to rule whether he can legally serve on the state Economic Expansion Study Commission.

The commission was created by the 1963 legislature to study ways to improve the economy. The Arkansas Supreme Court ruled last week that legislators cannot hold civil office during their term in the legislature.

Bennett's opinion also would cover Sen. Robert Harvey of Swift and Rep. G. D. Smith Jr. of Star City, who also are members of the commission. Oakes is chairman.

Police Chief Jack Brown Dies Tuesday



Jack Brown

Chief of Police Jack Brown, aged 54, died last night in a local hospital. He had suffered a stroke earlier yesterday. He was a chief of police for the past eight years, a former deputy sheriff and at one time was a guard at the Arkansas State Prison. He was a 32nd degree Mason and a member of Unity Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Ruby Brown, three sons, Jerry, Doyle and Ronny Brown, all of Hope and a brother, Woody Brown of Texarkana.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m. Thursday at Unity Baptist Church by the Rev. Gordon Renshaw. Burial by Herndon-Cornelius will be in Memory Gardens. Masons will hold graveside services. The body will lie in state at Unity Baptist Church from 1:30 to 3 p.m. Thursday.

Charge Results From Accident

Minor damage resulted yesterday when cars driven by Charlie Armstrong and Jack Coffee collided on North Hazel Street. City Policeman Howard Milam charge Armstrong with failure to yield the right-of-way.

The job is so gigantic that it calls for more buildings and housing units for students in the next 15 years — than all previous construction of college buildings combined.

This sounds fantastic, and Continued on Page Two

Sinatra Pays Out \$240,000, Son Back Unharmed

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Frank Sinatra's 19-year-old singer son, kidnapped at Lake Tahoe and held blindfolded 54 hours was released unharmed on a street today after secret maneuvers in which his father paid a gang \$240,000 ransom.

The FBI conducted an intensive search for the abductors, but would say nothing about progress.

Frank Sinatra Jr., whose goal is to duplicate his famous father's entertainment success, was taken at gunpoint Sunday night from a motel on the California-Nevada border just before a casino singing engagement.

A private policeman patrolling the exclusive Bel-Air district picked him up — the blindfold still dangling from his neck — after he heard a shout of "Hey" from darkness behind his car.

The patrolman drove him to the nearby home of the boy's mother, Mrs. Nancy Sinatra, long divorced from the actor-singer. There, emerging from the trunk of the car where he had hidden to avoid newsmen, came a dramatic reunion.

The elder Sinatra, who had been negotiating with the gang since Monday and flew here Tuesday night for the payoff lost his look of haggard tension as he greeted his son.

Young Sinatra went to bed not long after he was brought to the home and a spokesman said he would not be disturbed until later in the day, when he probably would meet with newsmen. At 5:50 a.m. Sinatra Sr. left for his own home. Remaining with the boy were his mother and a younger sister, Christina.

"Father, I'm sorry," the youth said.

"Sorry? Sorry for what?" said Sinatra, embracing him.

Young Frank then embraced his mother, who broke down and wept.

"Don't cry, mother, I'm well. I'm in good shape."

Young Sinatra went to bed without talking to newsmen but a spokesman said he probably would do so later in the day.

Sinatra, observing his 46th birthday, spoke briefly to newsmen, saying, "This is about as good a birthday present as I

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Miners Still Holding 21, Clash Feared

By THOMAS J. STONE

Associated Press Staff Writer
LA PAZ, Bolivia (AP)—Fears of clashes heightened today as peasant militiamen were reported marching to Bolivia's tin mines to defend President Victor Paz Estenssoro's government against rebellious communist-led miners.

Reports reaching Bolivia's capital said bands of armed peasants were moving on Oruro, hub of the mining district, and planned to set up camp there in a show of support for the government.

Oruro is 30 miles north of La Paz, where dissident miners are holding 15 hostages, including four Americans, in retaliation for the government's arrest of two Communist mine union leaders.

The government asked Tuesday night for U.S. arms, including planes, to effect the release of the hostages but gave no indication it planned an immediate attack.

Paz Estenssoro, under heavy U.S. pressure to secure the release of the captives, moved cautiously to assure their safety. It was feared any premature

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County ASC Convention December 20

The Hempstead ASC County Convention will be held in the ASC County Office at 9:30 a.m. December 20. The purpose of the Convention is to elect a county committee of three members and two alternates to administer ASC programs in the county for the next twelve months beginning January 1, 1964.

As in the past delegates elected in the community elections of December 2 will select the county committeemen. Listed below are the names of the elected delegates and alternates:

Springhill — E. H. Collins, Delegate, Gilbert L. Brown, First Alternate Delegate

Patmos — W. Y. Jackson, Delegate Eldredge Formby, First Alternate Delegate

Rocky Mound & Shover Springs — Howard Reece, Delegate J. E. McWilliams, First Alternate Delegate

Hope — W. J. Schooley, Delegate Donald Moore, First Alternate Delegate

Fulton & Guernsey — Roy Fry, Delegate A. O. Bright, First Alternate Delegate

McNab & Crossroads — Wade Gilbert, Delegate Johnnie Thompson, First Alternate Delegate

Washington & Columbus — Moss Rowe, Delegate W. H. Etker, First Alternate Delegate

DeAnn & Bairds Chapel — Jim Faulkner, Delegate R. B. Arnold, First Alternate Delegate

Blevins & Sweet Home — Carl Brown, Delegate Guy Loe, First Alternate Delegate

McCaskill — Luther Spicer, Delegate J. O. Harris, First Alternate Delegate

Ozan & Sardis — Carroll Tollett, Delegate J. M. Green, First Alternate Delegate

Bingen — Charles Erwin, Delegate, H. E. Erwin, First Alternate Delegate

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Snowstorm Worst of the Season

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The season's biggest snowstorm and coldest weather spread across broad areas from the Rockies into the northern Midwest today. Rain, sleet and cloudy weather covered most of the nation from the storm belt into the Appalachians.

In Montana, the mercury dropped to 21 below zero in Butte and Bozeman as arctic air extended throughout the Northern Rockies and Northern Plains.

Subzero readings were reported in parts of the Dakotas, Montana, Colorado, Wyoming and Nebraska. In Denver, the mercury tumbled from 4 above to 10 below in a few hours.

The sleet-freezing rain belt extended from parts of the Texas Panhandle northeastward across west and north Oklahoma and southeast Kansas into southwest and south-central Missouri. But as the cold air advanced, the sleet and rain changed to snow in many areas. Similar conditions were reported many parts of the North Central region.

The heavy snow belt covered areas from southern Colorado and northern New Mexico into central Nebraska and central Kansas. One to three inches of snow were indicated in much of the Midwest.

Rainfall in Southern sections ranged up to more than two inches in parts of Arkansas, northern Mississippi, Tennessee and Texas.

In the West, skies were mostly clear with temperatures near seasonal levels.

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Weather

Experiment Station report for 24 hours ending at 7 a.m. Wednesday, High 47, Low 39, precipitation 2.20 inches.

If You Want This Book on Kennedy's Assassination Enter Your Order Below

This is our last call on the AP Book Offer. To date we have 39 orders against an initial print-order of 25 books from New York. If you expect to buy a copy you must order from us this week, because our revised print-order to New York will be for just the number of orders on hand here. There will be no extras whatsoever. — THE EDITOR.

HOPE STAR

HOPE, ARK.

Dear sir: Please enter my order for The Associated Press book "The Torch Is Passed."

I understand the price is \$2, and delivery will be made about December 30.

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A complete, beginning-to-end account of one of the most dreadful chapters in American history — the assassination of President Kennedy and the events that followed — is being prepared by the Associated Press in a book titled "The Torch Is Passed."

This newspaper has arranged to make it available to all its readers at the very reasonable rate of \$2. It will not be sold through bookstores.

Delivery of this handsome, large (10 by 13 inch) hard-cover book will start about Dec. 30. You can order right now by filling out the coupon and mailing it to the address indicated, with \$2 for each copy of the book desired.

Since the president's murder Nov. 22 there have been thousands of stories and pictures, with memories piling on memories. The AP's 100-page book will bring together the best of these in a permanent record of living history.

It will include color as well as black and white photographs — some already classics, some published for the first time.

The moving narrative will trace in detail the events to the instant of the tragedy — Lee Oswald's full history, the last happy moments of the Kennedy Texas tour, and the last sad journey to Arlington. It will cover the president's death at the hospital, the transfer of power to President Johnson, and how the word reached the other Kennedys, the nation and the world.

The story will be told by famous AP byline writers who witnessed and recorded the four days of tragedy. And there will be the words and deeds of many others who found themselves suddenly, somehow, playing roles on the stage of history.

The whole story — concise, complete, lavishly illustrated — will appear in this one book.



SHOPPING DAYS TO CHRISTMAS

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Weather

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ARKANSAS: Cloudy and cold with occasional rain this afternoon but some light freezing rain extreme north portion. Cloudy and colder tonight and Thursday with light snow north and rain and snow mixed south portion. Low tonight 24 north to 34 south. High Thursday 28 to 36. High this afternoon 34 to 44.

LOUISIANA: Occasional rain this afternoon and tonight, ending Thursday. Colder tonight. Cloudy and cold Thursday. Temperatures this afternoon 40s north and 60s south. Lows tonight in the 30s. High Thursday 35 to 44.

THE WEATHER ELSEWHERE

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	High	Low	Pr.
Albany, clear	35	21	.01
Albuquerque, cloudy	52	28	..
Atlanta, cloudy	51	36	.29
Bismarck, cloudy	51	11	..
Boise, clear	30	10	..
Boston, clear	39	26	..
Buffalo, snow	33	19	T
Chicago, cloudy	29	26	T
Cincinnati, snow	30	22	T
Cleveland, rain	31	27	.04
Denver, cloudy	18	11	.18
Des Moines, snow	19	17	.01
Detroit, cloudy	32	28	..
Fairbanks, cloudy	30	15	.04
Fort Worth, rain	55	40	1.17
Helena, clear	10	17	..
Honolulu, cloudy	76	71	.01
Indianapolis, cloudy	26	25	..
Jacksonville, clear	62	38	..
Juneau, rain	37	33	.22
Kansas City, snow	25	22	.08
Los Angeles, clear	60	47	..
Louisville, snow	36	28	.14
Memphis, cloudy	51	40	1.54
Miami, clear	70	60	..
Milwaukee, snow	27	26	.07
Mpls.-St.P., snow	19	12	.02
New Orleans, cloudy	65	59	..
New York, cloudy	39	32	..
Ola, City, snow	8	21	.59
Omaha, snow	16	11	.11
Philadelphia, cloudy	38	31	..
Phoenix, clear	60	38	..
Pittsburgh, cloudy	27	26	..
Portland, Me., clear	41	20	..
Portland, Ore., clear	40	21	..
Rapid City, snow	12	..	.04
Richmond, cloudy	47	26	..
St. Louis, snow	27	24	.12
Salt Lk. City, clear	26	24	..
San Diego, clear	62	48	..
San Fran., clear	54	44	..
Seattle, clear	40	27	..
Tampa, clear	64	48	..
Washington, cloudy	45	31	..
Winnipeg, clear	5	12	T

(M—Missing; T—Trace)

Arkansas Regional Forecast

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Central Arkansas: Cloudy and cold with occasional rain or thundershowers this afternoon. Cloudy and colder tonight and Thursday with rain possibly becoming mixed with snow. High this afternoon 35 to 40, low tonight 24 to 34. High Thursday 28 to 36.

Northwest Arkansas

Cloudy and cold with occasional light rain and freezing rain this afternoon, changing to light snow tonight. Cooler tonight. Thursday cloudy and cold with some light snow flurries. Temperatures this afternoon in the low and mid 30s. Low tonight 24 to 30. High Thursday 28 to 32.

Northeast Arkansas

Hazardous driving warning tonight. Cloudy and cold with occasional light rain this afternoon mixed with freezing rain or drizzle changing to light snow or snow flurries. Temperatures this afternoon in the low and mid 30s. Lows tonight 24 to 32. High Thursday 30 to 34.

Southwest and Southeast Arkansas

Cloudy and cold with occasional rain this afternoon and temperatures in the 40s. Cloudy and colder tonight and Thursday with occasional light rain, likely mixed with snow north portions. Low tonight 28 to 34. High Thursday in the low and mid 30s.

EASTERN and SOUTHERN MISSOURI

Heavy snow and glaze warning; freezing rain or sleet extreme south and snow elsewhere today; freezing rain or sleet changing to snow south and snow elsewhere tonight, ending northeast late tonight; four or more inches of snow likely south and east central by Thursday; snow ending Thursday; cooler northeast tonight, otherwise not much temperature change; high today 25 to 32; low tonight 15 to 20 northeast and low 20s elsewhere.

ARKANSAS—Occasional rain

today and tonight, except rain changing to sleet and freezing rain in northwest portion about sunset and spreading eastward; high today in low 30s north to mid-40s south; low tonight 24 to 30 north and middle 30s south; cloudy and colder Thursday with occasional rain south and snow flurries north.

Star City Wreck

Fatal to Man

STAR CITY, Ark. (AP)—Curly Burr, 50, of Star City, was killed Tuesday when the pickup truck in which he was riding went out of control and plunged into a ravine.

State Police said the truck was being driven west on Highway 111 seven miles east of Star City by A. D. Scifers, also of Star City.

Letters to the Editor

This is your newspaper. Write to it. Letters criticizing the editorial policy or commenting upon facts in the news columns, are equally welcome. Every writer must sign his name and address.

FARM THANKS

Editor The Star: Our sincere thanks for the nice plaque presented to us by the Hope Star for being selected Farm of the Year in Hempstead County for 1963.

Our thanks also to the county committee that selected us for this honor, the Kiwanis Club for the recognition given us at the Farm City Week Luncheon, the Arkansas Power & Light Co., for the district runner-up check, and all of those who sent gifts and congratulations, both personal and through the mail.

This honor has meant very much to us and we shall ever be grateful to all.

MR. & MRS. A. M. WILSON

December 9, 1963

Hope, Arkansas

Colleges Have

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poses quite a problem, but by 1970 alone our college population is expected to be eight and half million students, which will double the enrollment in our colleges today, Mr. Russell declared.

The record shows, Mr. Russell pointed out, that 60 percent of all students now entering high school go on to graduate — and that 58 percent of those graduating will enter college.

In ten years, 80 percent of the high school graduates will go to college — and we should be concerned now by providing and setting up loan and work experience facilities to see that they get a college diploma.

The cost is going to rise, too. By 1970 the very basic or minimum for a four-year period will be \$5800. This figure does not include other necessary expenses.

Mr. Russell declared that students of today and in the future should give greater consideration to his course of action, what subjects he will take to reap the greatest benefit of a well-rounded education that will adequately prepare him for life's chosen profession.

The program was arranged by Dr. F. C. Crow, Superintendent of James H. Jones, Garland Medders and Hughes Ratliff were guests of the club.

Indications

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Johnson, as Senate Democratic leader before he was elected vice president, had to know the intricacies of all pieces of farm legislation that came before the Senate.

Johnson as a Senator voted for high price supports for farm commodities and against efforts to limit program payments to farmers.

As a House member in the late 1930s, Johnson was a vigorous supporter of the Rural Electrification Administration, Soil Conservation and such matters.

He was one of the organizers of an REA district which presently services the LBJ ranch in Texas.

It is too early to say just what Johnson will have in mind on the farm front when Congress reconvenes for its second session in January. But it is likely that he will ask Congress to enact a new wheat program.

Wheat farmers last May decisively defeated an administration program for tight controls for the 1964 wheat crop. Unless Congress acts, price supports will drop from the present levels of about \$2 a bushel to about \$1.25.

Although Freeman was deeply disappointed at the results of the referendum, he is reported to be agreeable to a voluntary wheat program for 1964, if this would further reduce wheat stocks, improve farm income and save taxpayers money.

Falls Off Bluff

Critically Hurt

MOUNTAIN HOME, Ark. (AP)—Jack Bell Sr., 56, of Newport, was in serious condition in Baxter General Hospital today after falling and rolling some 200 feet down a bluff while trying to reach a cave he wanted to explore Tuesday.

Attendants at the hospital said Bell had multiple fractures of the chest.

He had lowered himself about 150 feet down a rope to the cave at the base of the bluff overlooking the Buffalo River, witnesses said, and had almost reached it before he fell.

Mrs. Eddy Tenner, who watched his descent with binoculars from across the river, called for doctors and an ambulance and a rescue party crossed the river to reach Bell.

They lowered him another 300 feet down the incline on a stretcher and ferried him across the river in a boat.

Miners Still

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epititious move might touch off widespread conflict.

The government warned the miners their food supplies would be cut off unless they released the hostages by tonight. It showed no inclination to exchange two jailed Communists for the hostages which the miners demand.

Leftist union leaders in Oruro exhorted workers to make a stand against the peasant militiamen.

About 3,000 government troops are also poised in Oruro, high in the Andes 120 miles southeast of La Paz.

The four Americans, all attached to the U.S. embassy, were seized Friday night.

Newsmen interviewed them Tuesday at union headquarters and reported them in good health but said their living conditions were deplorable.

The Americans are Thomas Martin, 27, of New York, and Michael A. Kristula of Cadillac, Mich., both information officers; Bernard Rifkin, 52, of Montclair, N.J., a labor officer; and Robert Federstrom of Honolulu, a Peace Corps volunteer.

Mrs. Sinatra "is speechless," he said — "and I'm about the same way."

"By the way," he said, "I might add that this is my birthday (No. 46) and this is about as good a birthday present as anyone could ask for."

The FBI in charge of the case, would not say whether any arrests had been made or were imminent.

Sinatra Sr. said "a gang of seven to nine" kidnapers was involved.

He said he paid them off in small bills, left at a pickup point on Wilshire Boulevard in West Los Angeles. He said "no deal was made" to protect the abductors after the payoff.

"They're on their own now," Sinatra said.

Bel-Air Patrolman George C. Jones said he found Frank Jr. "walking along my beat on Roscomare Road," not far from Mrs. Sinatra's home.

Jones said he was driving along the darkened road when someone yelled "Hey!"

"I looked through the rear view mirror," Jones said, "and saw someone back there. . . so I backed up."

"He was wearing a blindfold, hanging around his neck. . . I rolled down the window and this kid asked me: 'Can you drive me to Nimes Road?'"

"Well, they (Mrs. Sinatra and her two daughters) live at 700 Nimes Rd. They're customers (of the patrol service)."

Jones said young Sinatra told him he talked one of his captors into letting him go before another returned from the pickup point with the money.

Jones said the boy told him he had been blindfolded since his abduction. "He never say any place or any of the guys who kidnaped him," the patrolman said, "but thinks there were three. He said he thought they were a bunch of amateurs, the way they operated."

Sinatra Sr., who flew here from Reno Tuesday night after being contacted about a ransom, said he had talked to his son twice while the boy was being held — once on Monday and again about 9 a.m. Tuesday.

"They wouldn't let me talk with him long," the father said. "I asked him if he was comfortable and he said he was okay."

"But you know they took him away without any socks. He just had a T-shirt and a parka. That's about as cruel as anything I can think of."

"I don't know if he was kidding me, but he mentioned riding around in a lot of trunks. I think he meant they transferred him in the trunk of a car."

He continued: "Frank (junior) didn't see

much of the men. He was blindfolded most of the time. He said something to me about being in more automobile trunks than anyone else in the world."

"The first phone call I got from the kidnapers let me know they had the boy and that he was all right. The man I talked to sounded like he meant business."

"I spoke to Frank (By telephone) twice."

"They took him out of the motel without socks and let him wander around in the snow with just a T-shirt on. He wasn't bothered physically, but he's pretty weary. I talked to him at 9 o'clock last night and yesterday afternoon in Reno about midday."

"In Reno, I got a call to be here (at Mrs. Sinatra's home). They said I'd get another call. They told me, 'Get \$240,000.'"

"I got it. The money was in hundreds."

"I came here and got a couple more telephone calls. They told me to go to a service station at Camden. . . and I don't remember the other street. Then I had to go to another service station."

"Then they took me off the thing and a federal man took over as courier."

"Then I got a telephone call from a man who said he dropped the boy off at Mulholland and the Freeway. We went out but couldn't find him."

Sinatra said the payoff point was on Wilshire Boulevard in West Los Angeles and no deal was made to protect the abductors after they received the ransom. "They're on their own now," he said.

Young Sinatra apparently was driven the 485 miles from the Lake Tahoe area to Hollywood in the trunk of a car. California and Nevada authorities relaxed certain roadblocks in the area, presumably after the ransom demand.

Young Sinatra was quoted by the patrolman who found him as saying he thought there were but three in the gang. The elder Sinatra said he thought there might be as many as nine.

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"That was the reason for Frank's hurried flight last night to Los Angeles."

There had been no breaks in the case since young Frank was hustled from his motel room at Lake Tahoe Sunday night by two gunmen who burst in and demanded money.

The youth, whose ambition is to pursue a career like his father's, was at the mountain lake resort on the California-Nevada border for a casino singing engagement. He was about to leave his room to do a show when he was abducted.

Monday and Tuesday the FBI, plus California and Nevada law officers, combed the rugged High Sierra area for clues

Sinatra Pays

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By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Frank Sinatra Jr., abducted from a motel on the California-Nevada border Sunday night, was released by his captors at 3:10 a.m. today in the exclusive Bel-Air district.

The 19-year-old singer's famous father told newsmen he paid \$240,000 to get the boy back — no questions asked.

Friends said the boy, picked up by a private patrolman and brought to his mother's nearby home, was not harmed. The patrolman said the boy told him he was blindfolded throughout his 54-hour ordeal.

Sinatra Jr. did not talk to newsmen thronged outside the mansion of Mrs. Nancy Sinatra. But his father, long divorced from the boy's mother, spoke briefly.

Mrs. Sinatra "is speechless," he said — "and I'm about the same way."

"By the way," he said, "I might add that this is my birthday (No. 46) and this is about as good a birthday present as anyone could ask for."

The FBI in charge of the case, would not say whether any arrests had been made or were imminent.

Sinatra Sr. said "a gang of seven to nine" kidnapers was involved.

He said he paid them off in small bills, left at a pickup point on Wilshire Boulevard in West Los Angeles. He said "no deal was made" to protect the abductors after the payoff.

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Bel-Air Patrolman George C. Jones said he found Frank Jr. "walking along my beat on Roscomare Road," not far from Mrs. Sinatra's home.

Jones said he was driving along the darkened road when someone yelled "Hey!"

"I looked through the rear view mirror," Jones said, "and saw someone back there. . . so I backed up."

"He was wearing a blindfold, hanging around his neck. . . I rolled down the window and this kid asked me: 'Can you drive me to Nimes Road?'"

"Well, they (Mrs. Sinatra and her two daughters) live at 700 Nimes Rd. They're customers (of the patrol service)."

Jones said young Sinatra told him he talked one of his captors into letting him go before another returned from the pickup point with the money.

Jones said the boy told him he had been blindfolded since his abduction. "He never say any place or any of the guys who kidnaped him," the patrolman said, "but thinks there were three. He said he thought they were a bunch of amateurs, the way they operated."

Sinatra Sr., who flew here from Reno Tuesday night after being contacted about a ransom, said he had talked to his son twice while the boy was being held — once on Monday and again about 9 a.m. Tuesday.

"They wouldn't let me talk with him long," the father said. "I asked him if he was comfortable and he said he was okay."

"But you know they took him away without any socks. He just had a T-shirt and a parka. That's about as cruel as anything I can think of."

"I don't know if he was kidding me, but he mentioned riding around in a lot of trunks. I think he meant they transferred him in the trunk of a car."

He continued: "Frank (junior) didn't see

much of the men. He was blindfolded most of the time. He said something to me about being in more automobile trunks than anyone else in the world."

"The first phone call I got from the kidnapers let me know they had the boy and that he was all right. The man I talked to sounded like he meant business."

"I spoke to Frank (By telephone) twice."

"They took him out of the motel without socks and let him wander around in the snow with just a T-shirt on. He wasn't bothered physically, but he's pretty weary. I talked to him at 9 o'clock last night and yesterday afternoon in Reno about midday."

"In Reno, I got a call to be here (at Mrs. Sinatra's home). They said I'd get another call. They told me, 'Get \$240,000.'"

"I got it. The money was in hundreds."

"I came here and got a couple more telephone calls. They told me to go to a service station at Camden. . . and I don't remember the other street. Then I had to go to another service station."

"Then they took me off the thing and a federal man took over as courier."

"Then I got a telephone call from a man who said he dropped the boy off at Mulholland and the Freeway. We went out but couldn't find him."

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Calendar

Thursday, December 12
The Jett B. Graves Class of the First Methodist Church will have a Christmas dinner at the Barlow Hotel Thursday, December 12 at 7 p.m. Hostesses will be Mrs. Harry Hawthorne, Mrs. Johnnie Green, Mrs. M. E. Garaflo, and Miss Dell McClanahan.

The Mary and Martha Class of the First Methodist Church will have a Christmas potluck supper at the church for members, their families, and guests on Thursday, December 12 at 7 p.m. Those attending are asked to bring a vegetable, salad, or dessert for the meal and a toy for a gift basket for the needy. Mrs. Raymond Franks will bring a Christmas story for the program.

The Belvins P.T.A. will have their regular monthly meeting Thursday, at 7:30 in the school auditorium. The Elementary grades will have charge of the Christmas program. All parents are urged to attend.

The Hope Womens Golf Association will have its regular monthly meeting Thursday, December 12 at the Country Club at 12 noon. All members are reminded to bring their sack lunches.

The Dorcus Sunday School Class of the Garrett Memorial Church will hold their Christmas party in the home of Mrs. David Frith on Thursday Evening at 7 p.m. All members are urged to be present.

The Lillian Rounton Sunday School Class party has been postponed due to the death of Mrs. George Wylie, who was a member of this class. A later date will be announced.

Friday, December 13
The Shover Springs Home Demonstration Club will have its annual Christmas party on

Friday, December 13 at 7 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. There will be a potluck supper, and each person is asked to bring a gift for exchange.

The grade school pupils of Mrs. C. C. McNeill will present a piano recital on Friday, December 13 at 4 p.m. in Garland School. The public is invited.

Saturday, December 14
The Hope Country Club will have its annual Christmas party Saturday, December 14, at the Country Club.

The Rose Garden Club will meet Friday at 2 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Lile Moore with Mrs. J. C. Carlton as co-hostess. All members are reminded to bring a gift for the tree and an article for the grab bag.

Monday, December 16
Wesleyan Service Guild No. 2 will have its Christmas potluck supper Monday, December 16 at 7 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Royce Weisenberger, 714 E. 2nd. Each member is asked to bring an offering for the Christmas project.

Tuesday, December 17
The Ann Wollerman Circle of First Baptist Church will meet Tuesday Night, December 17th, at 7:30 in the home of Mrs. M. S. Bates, 1510 South Elm Street, for their Annual Christmas party. Lottie Moon Christmas Offering will be taken at this time. All members urged to be present.

Duplicate Bridge
The Hope Duplicate Bridge Club had Master Point Night at the Hope Country Club on Monday, December 9 with 3 1/2 tables of players. First place winners for the evening were Mrs. E. P. Young, Jr. and Miss Elizabeth Bridwell.

Mrs. John Hatley and Mrs. Paul Lewis were in second place, and R. L. Broach and Dr. George Wright were third. Mrs. Taylor Stuart and Mrs. A. K. Holloway tied with Mrs. Marie Hendrix and Mike Kelly for fourth.

Melrose HD Club
A covered dish Christmas luncheon for the Melrose Home Demonstration Club was held at Mrs. C. F. Wiggins' home on Tuesday, December 10. Mrs. Lyle Allen led the singing of Christmas Carols in which all participated.

After the president, Mrs. A. C. Kirby, had conducted a brief business session, the names of Secret Pals were revealed and new ones were drawn. Mrs. Wiggins won the Surprise Package. A delicious meal was served, and gifts were exchanged around the pretty Christmas tree by the 12 members. Mrs. Bettie Duncan, Home Agent, was a guest of the club for the party.

Coming and Going
Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lewallen of Hot Springs were overnight guests of his mother, Mrs. Riley Lewallen on Monday.

Talbot Field, Jr., state judge advocate, B. C. Hollis, national membership committeeman, and Fred Formby spent Saturday and Sunday in Little Rock at the state American Legion convention.

Friends will be sorry to learn

Court Docket

Municipal Court of Hope, Arkansas
City Docket
Bernard Allen, No driver's license, Forfeited \$11.50 cash bond

Gladys Maxfield, Illegal cohabitation, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond
Bernard Allen, Eldrew Witherspoon, Failure to answer summons, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond

Andrew Gamble, Drunkenness, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond
Doyle Reaves, Brooksie Brantley, Drunkenness, Plea of guilty; fined \$16.50

Joseph Martin, Possessing untaxed intoxicating liquor, Plea of guilty; fined \$106.50
Joe Flemmons, Aggravated assault, Plea of guilty; fined \$56.50

Patton Blevins, Eldrew Witherspoon, Carrying a concealed weapon, Forfeited \$56.50 cash bond
Doyle Reaves, Joe Flemmons, Disturbing peace, Plea guilty; fined \$1.50

R. C. Scott, Disturbing the peace, Plea guilty; fined \$31.50
State Docket
Terrell W. Adams, Parking on highway, Dismissed on statement of Defendant

Vernon Clark, Acme Brick Company, Overweight, Forfeited \$46.15 cash bond
C. D. Biggers & Sons, Overweight, Dismissed on motion of Deputy Pros. Attorney

Saga of the Western Man Fascinating

By CYNTHIA LOWRY
AP Television-Radio Writer
NEW YORK (AP) — ABC's "Saga of Western Man" program, second of a four-part series, concentrated Sunday night on the American Revolution. The result was fascinating.

The years 1775 and 1776 came magically alive through imaginative marriage of camera and narrative. Sometimes the scenes were shot where the events actually had taken place — Williamsburg, Va., Lexington, Concord, Boston and Philadelphia. Critical moments of history were artfully reconstructed. Silhouettes and shadows of a few men accompanied by sound effects told of big battles and had defeats. The cameras moved in close on old cannons and muskets and a flag being lowered. They depicted a British defeat clearly with a picture of a soldier's hat floating down a small stream.

Altogether it was a well-constructed and enlightening hour even for those who thought they remembered their history courses. This series has proved to be much more interesting than its rather pretentious, foreboding title. NBC's "Best on Record" was certainly the most star-studded show of the evening, if not the entire season. It was a happy, relaxed musical hour in which a dozen or so top recording artists entertained.

Most of us are acquainted with movie Oscars and television Emmies. Sunday night's variety show was obviously designed to introduce us to the Grammy awards for outstanding phonograph records, which are passed out annually by the National Academy of Recording Arts and Sciences.

But there was none of the usual awards-show calling for the sealed envelopes and the breathless thanks of the winners. The awards had been passed out months ago, so all we had to do was sit back and enjoy the performances and brief introductions. Among the stars were Frank Sinatra, Bing Crosby, Dean Martin and Andy Williams (introducing, not singing), and Tony Bennett, Connie Francis, Diahann Carroll, Mahalia Jackson, Steve Lawrence and Eydie Gorme (all singing).

Will Spend Christmas at White House

By FRANCES LEWINE
WASHINGTON (AP) — The new First Family may spend Christmas at the White House, rather than back at the ranch, with Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson carrying out holiday plans that had been drawn up by Mrs. Jacqueline Kennedy.

The nation's 30 days of mourning for John F. Kennedy ends Dec. 22, and then the black crepe will be removed from the executive mansion and President Johnson will light the giant Christmas tree in the park behind the White House.

It is expected the stately rooms will be decorated as they have been in the past. And, as last year, a creche will be set up in the East Room, where the assassinated President's body lay in state little more than two weeks ago.

The creche had been planned by Mrs. Kennedy. The White House announced Monday that Mrs. Johnson will keep a date of the former first lady and will distribute toys to the young patients at D.C. General Hospital.

After the Christmas holiday, the Johnsons are scheduled to entertain West German Chancellor Ludwig Erhard at the LBJ Ranch Dec. 28 and 29.

President Uses Praise and Visits

WASHINGTON (AP) — Still moving at a gallop, President Johnson is using praise and personal visits to try and nudge Congress along the legislative trail.

He spent most of Tuesday conferring with Senate and House leaders. And before calling a day, he traveled to Capitol Hill to drop in on House Speaker John W. McCormack. "A visit with some friends" is the way White House news secretary Pierre Salinger described the meeting — Johnson's second informal call at the Capitol since becoming president 20 days ago.

Among the friends, said Salinger, were leading congressmen from both parties. Some of the late President John F. Kennedy's GOP critics in Congress had contended that Republicans were passed over on foreign policy decision and were called in only during a crisis.

Johnson, an administration official said, intends to keep Congress "fully informed on developments in a number of fields," and Tuesday he had briefings of both parties in a leadership on national security.

Search Resumes for Aircraft

SANTA MARIA, Azores (AP) — A search resumed today for three men aboard an American C46 cargo plane believed to have gone down 150 miles north-east of the Azores Monday.

However, officials thought there was little chance of survivors in the heavy seas and low temperatures. The Coast Guard said the plane, owned by Carolina Aircraft Co. of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., left Gander, Nfld., for Santa Maria Monday morning.

Twelve planes of the 57th Air Rescue Squadron, based in the Azores, and five merchant vessels are conducting the search, the Coast Guard said.

An SOS radio message from the plane about sunset Monday reported it was almost out of gas, and three minutes later the

Memorial Coin for Kennedy

WASHINGTON (AP) — Speaker John W. McCormack said today that President Johnson will ask Congress to authorize a 50-cent John F. Kennedy memorial coin.

McCormack made the announcement after Democratic leaders breakfasted with the President.

Californian Mad at Car, Shoots It

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Frustration over a balky car led a California motorist to jail this weekend.

Police reported Tuesday James Richard Stewart, 20, of Sunland, Calif., woke from a nap he took in the car on U.S. Highway 65 eight miles north of McGehee to find the auto couldn't start.

Worse, the engine caught fire. Still worse, Stewart couldn't figure out how to open the hood. So, McGehee Police Chief Lewis Baker said, he backed off from the car, pulled a .32 caliber pistol, fired two shots into its windshield, then hitchhiked into McGehee.

Baker didn't buy his story. Stewart was charged by the Federal Bureau of Investigation with stealing the car in Sunland and transporting it to Arkansas. Baker said Stewart made his way across the country on blank personalized checks stolen from a neighbor's house. The gun he used belonged to the neighbor too.

Texarkana Man Dies in Wreck

ASHDOWN, Ark. (AP) — Peter H. Ford, 44, of Texarkana, Tex., was killed Tuesday when he lost control of his car on Highway 32 five miles west of Ashdown. State Trooper Bob Porter said Ford's car hit a tree.

plane reported it was ditching in the ocean.

A British ship messaged it had sighted flashing lights on the water Monday night. But the lights were flares dropped from a search plane.

The names of the three men aboard the plane were not available.

DOROTHY DIX

SHE HAS EVERYTHING BUT LOVE

By Helen Worden Erskine

Dear Helen: I read your column more frequently than the Scriptures. Your philosophy, or so it seems to me, is based upon deep convictions which reflect your personal knowledge of the teachings of Jesus plus first- or second-hand experience. For me, you are the living example of a woman with sincere and intelligent convictions.

How I have a problem. I love my husband of 10 years more than anything else in this world. We are the parents of a girl, 7, and a boy, 5. Their father is as good to them as he is to me yet manages to remain a strict disciplinarian. We own our home.

After the children came I gave up my work as a secretary to assume the much more exciting and challenging occupation of being a wife, mother and homemaker. If left to myself, I am in Seventh Heaven anticipating the beauty of our surroundings in this lovely countryside where we live. In fact I would be content anywhere so long as I am growing some-

thing; content with one exception — my husband.

Even as I write that, it baffles me for we never run out of things to talk about and enjoy sharing activities; he helping me with my garden, car repair, or me hunting, fishing or visiting his family with him. But there is one ingredient missing. All senses must be fulfilled to make a body whole; sight, smell, hearing, tasting, speaking — these we share. Lacking is the sense of touch.

He never voluntarily takes my hand, spontaneously caresses me nor will he dance with me. The warmth of the human touch is missing. His love-making is defensive, not abandoned. What can I do to please him or maybe what must I do to please myself? — In a Quandary

Dear Quandary: I doubt if perfect human happiness exists and I suspect that it was never meant to be attainable in this lifetime. Only the right to pursue happiness is given us. The fact that your life is so satisfying in so many different departments has diminished your recognition that there are flaws in every situation.

Since you already are deeply appreciative of your assets, let's consider the liability in your life. Have you ever stopped to think that all the wonderfully satisfying aspects of your husband's personality might not exist if he were an "abandoned lover"? "Abandoned lovers" do not always make good husbands and fathers. Don't expect to have an impassioned lover and an ideal husband rolled up into one human male. Send a stamped, self-addressed envelope for my leaflet, "Marital Harmony." It may help you both.

Dear Helen: What do you say to neighbors who shout loud enough to be heard all over the house and neighborhood? They also have their television going full-blast afternoon and evening. The 2-year-old screeches and hollers, which may be excusable because he doesn't know any better. But what about his parents?

I don't know where they came from or what kind of people they are, but they have no consideration or thought for anyone but themselves. What can we do about this? — A Reader
Dear Reader: Borrow a tape recorder and turn it on the next time your neighbors sound off. Then invite them to hear the play back.

Dear Helen: I hate school because I'm boy crazy. I'm not

smart, make low grades and never get a date. My parents and I aren't close. I can't tell them anything. Once in awhile I go to Sunday School but I guess you'd call me a run-around. The one boy I like is on parole. My parents and sisters hate him. Help! — Mixed Up

Dear Mixed Up: You're not only in a rut but off to a wrong start dating a paroled boy. Change gears and course. No alibis. It's up to you to decide where you're going. If you've got guts you'll hit the right road on high. Say to yourself every day, "This is my life and I'm going to make something of it."

Have you a problem? Perhaps Helen Worden Erskine can help you. Write her in care of this newspaper, enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

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Loyola of Chicago Heads First Cage Poll

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Loyola of Chicago's national champions impressive in early season tune-ups, are comfortably out front in The Associated Press' weekly college basketball poll.

The free-wheeling Ramblers, easy winners last week over North Dakota, 92-54, and Kent State, 100-59, have no major obstacles in their immediate path. But New York University, Duke and Arizona State University, leading challengers in the season's first balloting of 36 basketball writers and broadcasters, will be scrambling to keep their lofty ratings.

Loyola polled 32 first-place votes and a total of 353 points to lead the field. NYU, which whipped Cornell and Tulsa in its first two games, was second with 312 points. The Violets, receivers of the other four first-place votes, will have their hands full when they entertain highly regarded Toledo Thursday in New York.

The top 10 teams, with points in a 10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1 basis:

	Pts
Chicago Loyola	353
NYU	312
Duke	272
Arizona State	149
Kentucky	144
Cincinnati	141
Michigan	116
Ohio State	113
Oregon State	64
Kansas	61

Shot Breaks the Backboard

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP)—Gus Johnson of the Baltimore Bullets slammed a jump shot so hard Tuesday night that the basket's glass backboard broke, toppling up the Bullets' game against the San Francisco Warriors.

His successful field goal came with 1:04 to play in the third period and the Warriors leading 14-78.

Maintenance men at Oakland Auditorium searched for a new backboard.

But after an 18-minute delay they rigged up a brace behind the huge crack in the backboard and the game resumed.

San Francisco won 117-108.

Warriors Coach Alex Hannum announced he was playing the game under protest.

Oriental Boxing Group Meets

MANILA (AP)—The Oriental Boxing Federation met here Wednesday in its annual convention, expected to adopt stricter rules against injuries to boxers.

PLAYING FOR BALL CONTROL



Hope Star SPORTS

Steelers Lead in Two Departments

NEW YORK (AP)—The Pittsburgh Steelers may win their first division title in history Sunday, but they lead the National Football League in only two departments — neither one a major category.

The Steelers top the NFL only in the number of running plays and the number of field goals.

The Steelers have rushed 540 times. The Green Bay Packers are next at 469.

The New York Giants, whom the Steelers will play Sunday in New York in a winner-take-all game for the title, lead the league in first downs, passing, touchdowns, touchdowns by passing, completed passes and total points.

Ramsey Had Hard Time for Article

By JIM BECKER

Associated Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP)—"I thought he'd get killed before he got his first foul shot," said Red Auerbach.

"Frank, I felt sorry for you out there," said Walter Brown. "Don't say that, Mr. Brown," said Frank Ramsey. "It's all over and done with."

"Personally, I haven't even seen the article," said Referee Earl Strom.

"Fate," said the fans, from all over Madison Square Garden.

And so it went in the National Basketball Association game between the Boston Celtics and the New York Knicks, the night after Frank Ramsey of the Celtics turned author.

"The article" was one in a magazine, under Ramsey's byline, detailing how he lures opponents into committing fouls, and fools the officials. The article drew a reprimand from NBA Commissioner Walter Kennedy.

Some 8,237 fans turned out at the Garden Tuesday night, mainly to see how the officials reacted to Ramsey, and vice versa. There wasn't much else of interest, as the Celtics toyed with the cellar New Yorkers for a 132-113 victory. That gave Boston an 18-2 record for the first quarter of the long season.

In the first game of the doubleheader, the St. Louis Hawks fought off the Philadelphia 76ers down the stretch for a 113-103 decision.

In the other NBA game on the card, the San Francisco Warriors defeated the Baltimore Bullets 117-108, as Wilt Chamberlain scored 49 points.

But Ramsey held the spotlight.

Actually, Ramsey is about the last player in the sometimes hard-bitten pro league you'd expect to become an object of even mild controversy. He is a well-spoken Kentucky gentleman, now in his ninth season in the league and the co-captain of the Celtics with Bill Russell. He is one of the great clutch players.

Anyway, he took the court about midway through the first half and almost the first time he got his hands on the ball he was called for charging a defensive player. The Boston bench erupted, and the referees called a technical foul.

Before he was through, Ramsey had played 21 minutes, collected 15 points, hauled all over the floor and drawn four personal fouls. He did not appear to get the best of the officiating, despite calls from the stands for "Fake a foul, Ramsey."

Auerbach thought Ramsey got the worst of it. So did Brown, though.

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Thurs	2:15	8:25	2:40	8:45
Sat	3:35	9:45	4:00	10:05
Pri	2:55	9:00	3:20	9:25
Sun	4:15	10:25	4:45	10:50

East-West Teams Are Selected

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—All Americas Carl Eller of Minnesota on the line and Sherman Lewis of Michigan State in the backfield lead a powerful East-West football game for the East-West football game on Dec. 28.

The squad of 24 announced by the Shrine charity game's managing director, William M. Coffman:

Ends — Jim Kelly, Notre Dame; Charles Logan, Northwestern; Don Underwood, Michigan State, and Dave Ellison, Purdue. Tackles — Roger Piliath, Wisconsin; Kent Pike, Northwestern; Eller and Ernie Borghetti, Pitt. Guards — Bob Lehman, Notre Dame; Mike Reilly, Iowa; Joe O'Donnell, Michigan, and Tom Jenkins, Ohio State. Centers — Ken Bowman, Wisconsin, and Ralph Baker, Penn State.

Quarterbacks — Ron Digraivio, Purdue, and Pete Liske, Penn State. Halfbacks — Paul Krause, Iowa; Paul Warfield, Ohio State; Jay Wilkinson, Duke; Lewis, Paul Martha and Rich Leeson, Pitt. Fullbacks — Gene Donaldson, Purdue, and Ed Conti, Syracuse.

Five Minutes Better Than Loyola U.

By MIKE RATHET

Associated Press Sports Writer

NYU is five minutes better than Loyola.

That's about the only thing the nation's top two teams proved Tuesday night in a doubleheader at Chicago.

It took Loyola's top-ranked Ramblers 40 minutes and a five-minute overtime session to get by Detroit 113-108. NYU's second-ranked Violets managed to get the job done in regulation time, edging Northwestern 75-66.

Both games were in doubt until the talent-rich clubs sprung a pair of sophomores for key baskets. Tom Manzone sank the basket that pulled Loyola ahead in overtime and Stan McKenzie hit the key shot to put NYU out front to stay.

Ron Miller's 25-foot jump shot as time ran out pulled Loyola into a 98-all tie and forced the overtime.

Manzone then took over in the overtime, stealing a pass and racing in for a lay-up that put Loyola out front to stay 108-106.

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Tittle Again Heads All Pro Football Team

By JACK HAND

Associated Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP)—The defense-minded Chicago Bears, Green Bay's ground troops and the pass-happy New York Giants dominated the National Football League All-Star team announced Wednesday by The Associated Press.

The Bears placed six players on the 22-man first offensive and defensive units. Green Bay had five and New York four.

Y. A. Tittle, the Giants' superb passer, was a near unanimous choice for quarterback and Jimmy Brown, Cleveland's record-breaking ground gainer, received all but two votes for fullback. Mike Ditka, fine tight end of the Chicago Bears, also polled all but two of the 42 votes cast.

The selections were made by a committee of three sports writers and broadcasters from each of the 14 league cities.

Ditka was the Bears' only representative on the offensive team but the fine defensive club placed five men on the first unit. They were 6-foot-8 and Doug Atkins, linebackers Bill George and Joe Fortunato and the two ball-hawking safety men, Richie Pettibon and Roosevelt Taylor.

Only nine of the 22 men selected last year repeated—six on offense and three on defense.

They were Del Shofner, New York Giants' split end; tackle Forrest Gregg of Green Bay; guards Jerry Kramer of Green Bay and Jim Parker of Baltimore; center Jim Ringo of Green Bay and Tittle of the 1962 offensive team. The defensive repeaters were tackles Roger Brown of Detroit and Henry Jordan of Green Bay and corner back Herb Adderley of Green Bay.

Shofner and Ditka were picked for the two end jobs with Gregg and Dick Schafrath of Cleveland at tackles and Kramer and Parker at guard with Ringo at center.

FIRST TEAM

Split end — Del Shofner, New York, 6-foot-3, 185 pounds, 29 years old.

Tight end — Mike Ditka, Chicago, 6-3, 230, 24.

Tackles — Forrest Gregg, Green Bay, 6-4, 250, 29, and Dick Schafrath, Cleveland, 6-3, 255, 26.

Guards — Jerry Kramer, Green Bay, 6-3, 255, 27, and Jim Parker, Baltimore, 6-3, 275, 29.

Center — Jim Ringo, Green Bay, 6-1, 235, 32.

Quarterback — Y. A. Tittle, New York, 6-0, 195, 37.

Flanker back — Bobby Joe Conrad, St. Louis, 6-2, 195, 28.

Running back — Tommy Mason, Minnesota, 6-1, 196, 24.

Fullback — Jimmy Brown, Cleveland, 6-2, 228, 27.

Defensive Unit

Ends — Doug Atkins, Chicago, 6-8, 255, 33, and Jim Katcavage, New York, 6-3, 240, 29.

Tackles — Henry Jordan, Green Bay, 6-3, 250, 28, and Roger Brown, Detroit, 6-5, 300, 26.

Middle linebacker — Bill George, Chicago, 6-2, 235, 33.

Corner linebackers — Joe Fortunato, Chicago, 6-1, 225, 33, and Jack Pardee, Los Angeles, 6-2, 225, 27.

Corner backers — Dick Lynch, New York, 6-1, 205, 27, and Herb Adderley, Green Bay, 6-1, 200, 24.

Safeties — Richie Pettibon, Chicago, 6-3, 205, 25, and Roosevelt Taylor, Chicago, 5-11, 186, 26.

Rook Hot But Indians Lose

MURRAY, Ky. (AP)—Jerry Rook pumped in 29 points for Arkansas State, but the Indians could not overcome a 30-point deficit in the first half and lost 93-63 to Murray State of Kentucky in basketball Tuesday night.

Murray hit 50 per cent of its shots and led 60 to 36 in rebounds. Stewart Johnson, 6-foot-8, and Jim Jennings, 6-foot-8, each grabbed 19 rebounds for the Thoroughbreds.

ond half, but was still locked in a struggle with Northwestern at 63-63 with 4:45 remaining. MacKenzie then found the range, connecting for the basket that put the Violets ahead for good.

Tenth-ranked Kansas was the only other Top Ten team in action, and also ran into difficulty before subduing a stubborn Texas Tech team 73-67.

Elsewhere, Bud Koper's 44 points led Oklahoma City to a 95-90 victory over SMU. Dave Stallworth collected 30 points as Wichita walloped Duquesne 91-74 and Notre Dame whipped Bowling Green 79-65 despite a 41-point performance by the Falcons' Howard Komives.

Hope Girl on College Team



Melba Calhoun

ARKADELPHIA — Miss Melba Calhoun of Hope is a returning letterman to the defending state champion basketball team at Ouachita Baptist College. A forward with a good two-hand push-shot, she is expected to aid the Tigertettes with her outside shooting.

A THREE-YEAR LETTERMAN AT HOPE HIGH, MISS Calhoun was captain of the Lady Cats her senior year. She is a sophomore physical education and history major at Ouachita. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Lee K. Calhoun, 606 North Hervey, Hope.

Basketball

Tuesday's College Basketball By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

EAST

Columbia 74, Rutgers 73
Rhode Island 92, New Hampshire 30
Villanova 97, Scranton 48
Massachusetts 60, Connecticut 59
St. Francis, N.Y. 69, Bridgeport 64

SOUTH

Maryland 72, N.C. State 62
VMI 80, George Washington 75
West Virginia 79, Richmond 71
South Carolina 45, Furman 32
Loyola New Orleans 81, Spring Hill 58

MIDWEST

Loyola, Chicago 113, Detroit 108 (ot)
NYU 75, Northwestern 66
Wisconsin 85, Pittsburgh 83
Kansas 74, Texas Tech 67
Notre Dame 79, Bowling Green 65
Wichita 91, Duquesne 74
Dayton 87, Miami, Ohio 81 — 2 ot

SOUTHWEST

Oklahoma City 95, SMU 90
Houston 58, North Texas St. 56

FAR WEST

Utah St. 94, Texas A&M 71
Arizona St. Coll. 87, Grand Canyon 76
Arizona 74, Denver 64
Santa Clara 86, Miami, Fla. 77
Nevada 83, San Fernando Valley St. 75
Washington State 85, Idaho 68

Arkansas Basketball Scores By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

College

Murray (Ky.) State 93, Arkansas State 63
Arkansas College 70, Hendrix College 69 (overtime)
Arkansas Tech 79, College of the Ozarks 64
State Teachers 69, Arkansas A&M 56
Ouachita College 94, Southern State 66
Harding College 83, Henderson 67

High School

Hot Springs 67, Benton 54
North Little Rock 60, Little Rock Catholic 46
Jonesboro 53, Leachville 36

National Basketball Assn. By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Tuesday's Results

St. Louis 113, Philadelphia 103
Boston 132, New York 113
San Francisco 117, Baltimore 108

Today's Games

St. Louis at Boston
New York at Philadelphia
Cincinnati at Detroit

Thursday's Games

Baltimore at Los Angeles
New York at Cincinnati

Fight Results By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK — Gil Diaz, 151, Puerto Rico, outpointed Tommy Washington, D.C., 8.

SACRAMENTO Calif. — Fred Roots, 162½, Sacramento, outpointed Jimmy Beecham, 159, Philadelphia, 10.

National Hockey By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

No games Tuesday

Today's Games

Detroit at Toronto
Chicago at New York

Thursday's Games

New York at Montreal
Chicago at Boston

Fox Never Could Be a Part Timer

By JOE MOOSHIL

Associated Press Sports Writer

CHICAGO (AP) — Baseball's hottest seat for little Nellie Fox was the bench.

The Chicago White Sox knew Fox would fret as a part timer ball player, so under their current youth movement, he was dispatched to Houston in an inter-league trade Tuesday for two Colt Farm hands — pitcher Jim Golden and outfielder Danny Murphy.

Fox will be 36 Christmas Day.

In return for the peppery second baseman, who has a lifetime batting average of .289 and six times hit .300 or better, the White Sox received a pitcher who was 9-11 at Oklahoma City last season and a former 1200,000 Chicago Cub bonus baby who batted .234 with San Antonio and .268 with Oklahoma City last season.

Fox batted .260 in 1963 but was being pushed off his job by a pair of youngsters. Al Weis and Don Buford.

"Actually, we may be doing Fox a great favor, said White Sox General Manager Ed Short. "He may play two or three more regular seasons for Paul Richards (Houston general manager), who really wanted him to stabilize the young Colt infield."

Fox, who was deer hunting in Chambersburg, Pa., when the deal was announced, said he was relieved.

"At least now I know where I'm going," he said. "I'm very glad to get back with Richards."

Fox came to the White Sox in 1949. In 1950 he became the regular second baseman and went on to compile such records for most consecutive games without a strikeout (98); most years leading the league in fewest strikeouts (10); most consecutive years leading the league in singles (7); most consecutive games played at second base (749) and so on down the line.

He played in 14 All-Star games and was the American League's Most Valuable Player in 1955 when the White Sox won the pennant.

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A novel about BENEDICT ARNOLD by PHILIP VAIL
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THE STORY: Benedict Arnold, son of a prominent Connecticut family, has been apprenticed to an apothecary. He has his mind set on other things, and is interested in reading books on military tactics.

II

The sergeant of New York militia walked toward the open fire where a dozen men were warming themselves and cooking their breakfast of stew in a huge iron kettle. The recruits, most of whom had enlisted in April, only three weeks earlier, glanced up uncertainly. Military life was new to them, but they had learned that whenever the sergeant came to their bivouac, someone was in trouble.

"You—Arnold," the sergeant said.

Seventeen-year-old Benedict stood and eyed the sergeant warily.

"Captain Lockwood wants to see you."

Straightening his arm band of scarlet and orange, the colors worn by New York Province militiamen, Benedict picked up his long rifle and silently accompanied the sergeant. Off to the left a squad of new recruits, most of them still wearing the rough linsey-woolsey of farmers, was being taught the rudiments of discipline in a cleared patch that served as a parade ground. Stalks of straw were tied to their left ankles, similar bundles of hay were bound to their right legs, and an exasperated corporal was making a vain attempt to march them across the field.

They walked past another campfire and came at last to an area guarded by a sentry. There were three tents in the compound. The sergeant led the way to the largest of them, pushed open the flap.

Benedict, walking into the tent, stood stiffly at attention. "Private Arnold at report, sir."

Capt. Reuben Lockwood, in civilian life a wealthy property owner in Westchester County, looked up from his table, pushed aside a platter of fried grits and sausage and said, "You may stand at ease."

Swiftly inspecting the tent, Benedict decided the officer's bed was too cumbersome; certainly his table and chair could not be carried on a long march. Lockwood's scarlet, silver-buttoned uniform with its orange facings was impressive, but evidently he had never led troops on a campaign into the wilderness.

Captain Lockwood picked up a folded sheet of paper and studied it in silence for a moment, smiling quietly. "You can read and write, I see."

"Yes, sir," Benedict had no idea why he had been summoned.

"Is this your handwriting?"

Taking the paper, Benedict saw it was the oath he had signed three weeks earlier when he enlisted. The paper was dated April 22, 1758. "I wrote it, Captain."

"I see," Lockwood was silent again, and something in his manner changed. "How old are you, Arnold?"

Benedict stirred uneasily. "Twenty-one, Captain," he lied.

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Old Triangle Spells Out a New Movie

By BOB THOMAS
AP Movie-Television Writer
HOLLYWOOD (AP) — The new movies—

"Move Over, Darling" is one of the best of the current outpouring of slick comedies, proving perhaps that practice makes perfect.

This is Hollywood's third go at the fanciful yarn of a wife who returns from five years on a desert island to discover that her husband has just taken himself a bride.

The other versions were "My Favorite Wife" — 1940 — with Irene Dunne, Cary Grant and Polly Bergen, is another in the line of Doris Day comedies, lovingly coproduced by husband Martin Melcher, and played with such verve that you overlook the essential unreality. Miss Day can bring to each film a professional freshness that conquers feelings of disbelief.

James Garner is ideally suited for this kind of sophisticated farce. His touch is sure. He has the physical aspects for romantic appeal and a voice and delivery that can shade a line for the utmost comedic effect.

In other words, Garner is destined for a long and moneyed career. He may even become as rich as Cary Grant.

The plot is the same as the hilarious 1940 version, with a few modern touches such as a trip through a car wash with the convertible top down.

The supporting cast is hand-picked for maximum support of the stars. There is Thelma Rit-

terprising man a wealthy citizen within a few years.

Someone came into the workroom. Benedict didn't bother to look up.

"Benedict."

He raised his head, and was surprised to see his sister. At 17, Hannah Arnold looked mature; she reminded Benedict of their mother who had died the previous year. The resemblance was superficial, he told himself angrily, but he wished Hannah wouldn't wear a heavy woolen scarf over her head.

"One moment, Hannah," he took the phial to Daniel Lathrop, then returned quickly to the workroom. "What's wrong?"

"They've found Papa."

Benedict braced himself. "Is he all right?" Mr. Arnold had been missing for three days.

"As usual," she replied, her mouth compressed. "Constable Turner came to the house just now."

"Where did Constable Turner find Papa?" he asked carefully.

"He didn't." She pulled her shawl more tightly around her head. "The postman from New London brought him a message from Constable Barton."

"That means Barton has put him in jail." Turning away in anguish, he took his greatcoat and stocking cap from a peg.

At last he came to New London, a bustling seaport facing Long Island Sound. Riding quickly down High Street, he made his way to the jail on King Street. Two large merchant ships had just docked, so there were large crowds near the waterfront. Benedict's dismay increased. The people were in a festive mood in spite of the cold; several men waved cheerfully to the stranger.

The jail, a one-story building of grey fieldstone, stood at the end of the street opposite a warehouse. Constable Barton, a burly, heavy-set man who carried a brace of pistols in his belt, unbolted and opened the door a fraction of an inch.

"Oh, it's you," he said.

"My father—"

"In the back cell, same as always." Barton grasped the visitor's lapel. "Arnold, if you know what's good for the old man, keep him out of this town."


"Did he damage any property?"

"No, he ain't got the strength. But he kicks up an almighty rumpus, and we're tired of giving him free food and lodging while he sleeps off a bout. We have enough trouble with merchant seamen and the troops from the fort. We don't want old drunks from every town in New London County disturbing the peace, so I give you fair warning. The next time your father comes here, Magistrate Wright will tell the Crown prosecutor to lodge serious charges against him. He'll be sent to the royal prison at Greenwich for the rest of his natural-born days!"

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THE MEAT EATERS
(Per Capita Consumption of Meat in 15 Largest Consuming Countries, 1962)



	Pounds
NEW ZEALAND	235
AUSTRALIA	221
URUGUAY	213
ARGENTINA	202
UNITED STATES	164
UNITED KINGDOM	138
CANADA	137
DENMARK	133
FRANCE	130
SWITZERLAND	123
WEST GERMANY	118
AUSTRIA	117
BELGIUM AND LUXEMBOURG	113
SWEDEN	111
NETHERLANDS	108

LOTS OF HAMBURGERS—World meat consumption is high and going higher every year. 1962 while population increased 19 per cent, says the U.S. Department of Agriculture. In the latter year, 109 billion pounds of meat were consumed. Chart above lists the 15 leading meat-eating countries by per capita consumption. All are well above the average of 39 reporting countries, which is slightly over 96 pounds a year.



GOOD MUDDER—Sam the racing turtle gets the feel of the track before the big Topeka, Kan., school race. Del Creason, 8, thought he'd give Sam some practice, but to no avail. The race was called off until a sunny day.

Some Facts of Life in Arkansas
By J. C. TILLMAN
Associated Press Staff Writer

A group of Texarkana citizens got a chance—one by one—recently to prove the old saw that one should not stick his nose where it does not belong.

The chances came when a group of University of Houston students parked an innocent looking, tarpaulin covered trailer in front of a restaurant.

Those who couldn't resist peeking beneath the tarpaulin found themselves face to face with a live cougar (in a cage).

The students say they've had no trouble with people stealing the school mascot.

Mrs. Margaret Kellner, who operates a farm about a mile west of Cave City, figures cattle rustlers have come up with a new wrinkle. When she went to the barn for chores early one morning she noticed a cow standing between the barn and the road.

She heard a rifle shot some minutes later and looked out of the barn to find her cow gone.

Perhaps not original, but posted in North Central Arkansas—this sign: Trespassers will be shot—if missed, prosecuted."

The old Benefield Hotel at Fulton was torn down recently and workmen discovered some of those rare, square nails used in construction back in the days it was built.

They also found that the interior wood in the 100-year-old building — 20-foot sections of heart cypress and pine — was nearly perfectly preserved.

Two Conway men have proved that big gar still live in the waters of the Arkansas River. Golden T. Bratcher and Bob Wellington pulled a six-foot, nine-inch alligator gar weighing 135 pounds out of the river last Saturday.

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8th Grade — Alene Haney, Carol Ann Williams, Bobbie Neil Milus, Leroy Phillips, Mercedes B. Smith

9th Grade — Lois Ann Hicks, James Hamilton

10th Grade — Tommie Love

"B" HONOR ROLL

7th Grade — Eliza Ann Baker, Thomas Brewer, Jerry Wayne Ford, Carolyn Sue Holt, Robert Howard, Ira Isley, Gwendolyn Jones, Ira Love, Owen McKinney, Lynda Phillips, Neva Tate, Evelyn Walker, Polly Walker, William Walker, Mary Washington, Marilyn Weston Clifford Williams

8th Grade — Joan E. Davis, Otis M. Duffie, Francis Hendrix, Linda Sue Hicks, Jessie Mae Moss, Willie James Preston, Glynnia Faye Stuart, Cora Lou Turner, Betty J. Turner, James Patterson, Charles Jones, Clifford Moss, Mary L. Martin, Eula Darnell Cole, Charles Martin, Harold Phillips Betty Blake

9th Grade — Brenda Williams, Rose Mary Isley, Johnnie Mae Johnson, Leroy Walker, Velma Johnson, Patricia Maxwell, Mary Morrison, Gwendolyn Martin, Donald Wyatt, Linda Bennett, Jacquelyn Davis, Charlene Edwards, James Hendrix, King Howard, Wanda Muldrew, Luther Shaw

10th Grade — Betty Jean Dennis, Nancy Jo Brown, Ira Williams Jr., Larry L. Phillips, Earl Rodney Jones, Jimmy Dismuke, Jo Cathy Verge, Lula Mae Smith, Ronald Stuart


11th Grade — Brenda Bostic, Milinda Brandon, Edward Haney, Jacquelyn Hicks, Verdell Jones, Earnestine Joshua, Muriel Moss, Author Phillips, Linda Pondexter, Carolyn Ross, Sylvester Scott, Mary Williams, Flossie Walker, Delois Lloyd, Robbie Davis, Gwendolyn Hagland, Margaret Williams, Patricia Williams

12th Grade — Jewel Dennis, Gwendolyn Douglas, Gene Briggs, Mattie Rutherford


Newton Voting

JASPER, Ark. (AP)—Newton County residents vote today on a \$15,000 bond issue to finance a combination 10-bed hospital and 20-bed nursing home. The issue carries a five mill tax. Officials hope to obtain a \$135,000 federal grant which will provide a total of \$250,000 for the project.

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23 - Wanted

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24 - For Rent

FOR RENT: Office space in Cannon Building, 310 South Main Street. For full information phone Dr. Brents, days PR 7-2336; evenings, PR 7-4505.

25 - For Sale

LARGE PAPER Shell pecans, 25c lb. West of Experiment Station. Old Highway 67. Phone PR 7-4261.

26 - Auction

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27 - Special Sale

SPECIAL SALE Dec. 16, 1963 HOPE LIVESTOCK COMMISSION CO. Highway 67, West, Hope, Arkansas

28 - Used Cars

100 head of young cows and calves from a herd of fresh clean country cattle. These cattle will be sold along with our regular sale. This herd consists of Black Bald-faced cows and calves, Hereford type cattle and Angus cattle.

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THE PUZZLE

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17 Indians
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19 Receipt (ab.)
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21 Built
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23 Venture
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25 Accomplish
31 Biscuit
32 Head of Benjamin's tribe (bib.)
33 Form of "to be"
35 Candelmas trees
36 Elevate
38 Famous New York editor
40 Mr. Bevin
42 San Francisco baseball team
43 Black (Celtic)
44 King (Latin)
45 Chocolate source
48 Gambling places
52 Swiftly
53 Involves
54 Salamanders
55 Stabbed

DOWN
1 Insane
2 Compass point
3 Punch
4 End
5 Smacked
6 Placed apart

Answer to Previous Puzzle

1 Across: Famous Baltimore editor
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3 Across: Correct manuscript
4 Down: End
5 Across: Dye base
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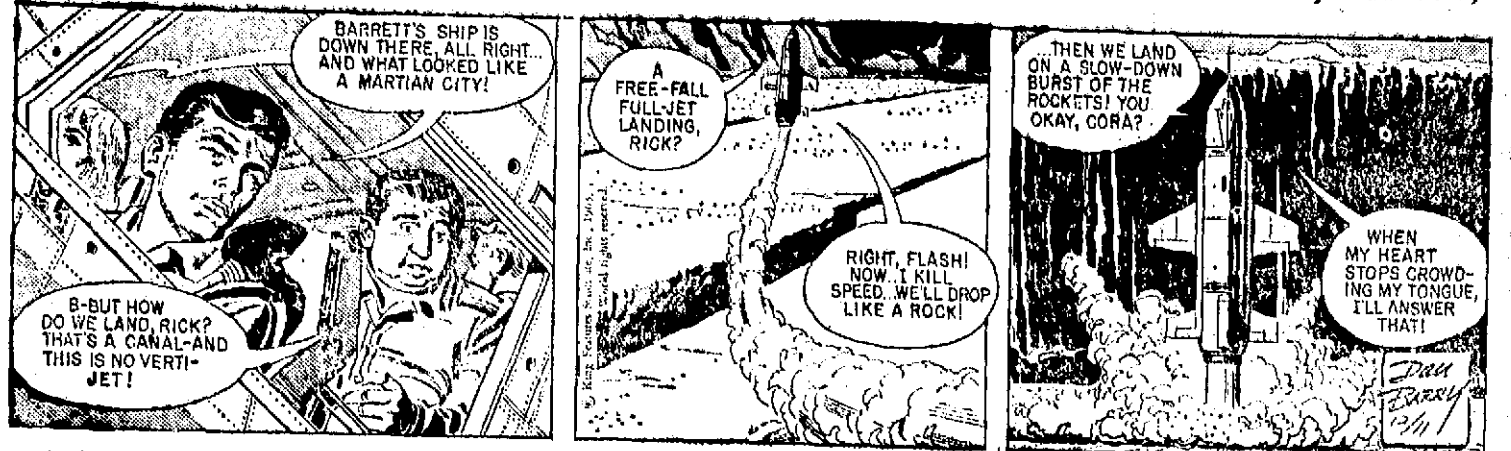
By Dick Turner



"Does it make you look younger? Younger than what?"

FLASH GORDON

By Dan Barry



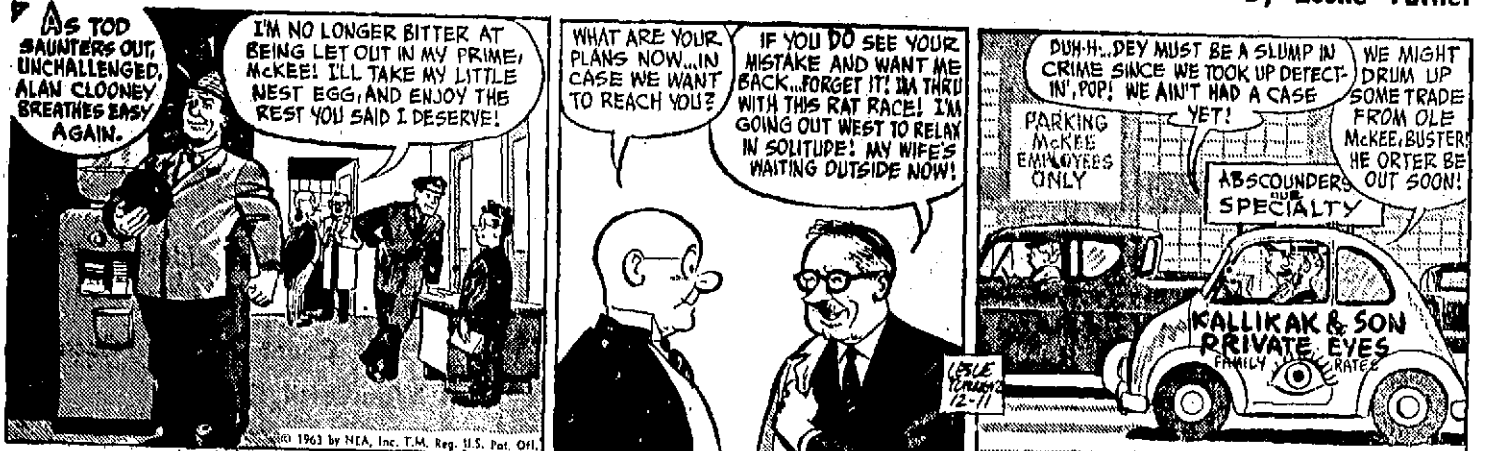
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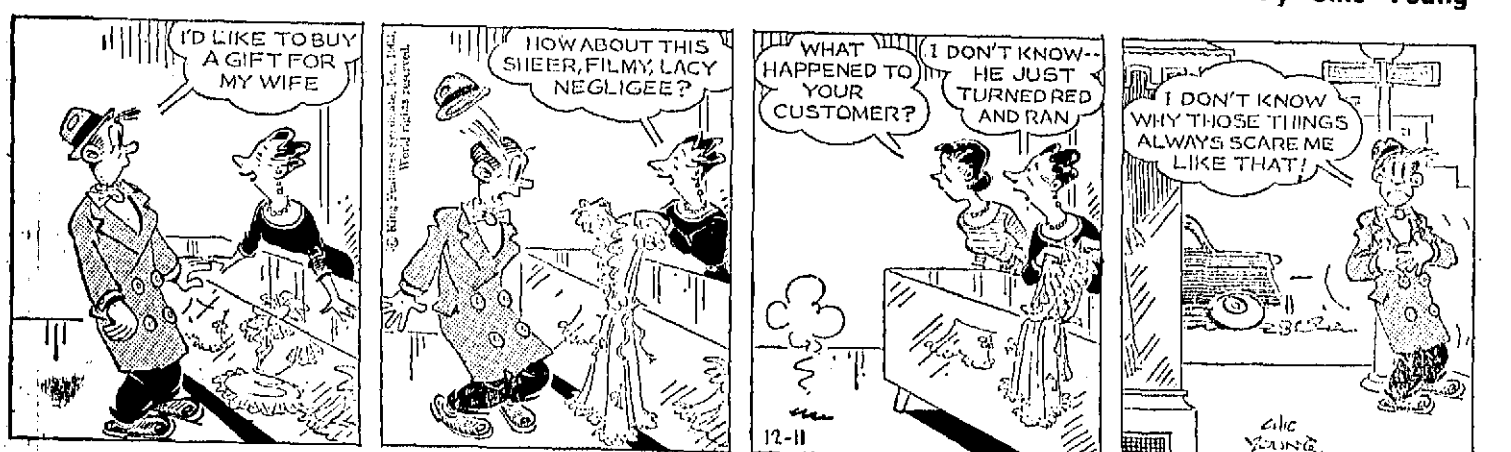
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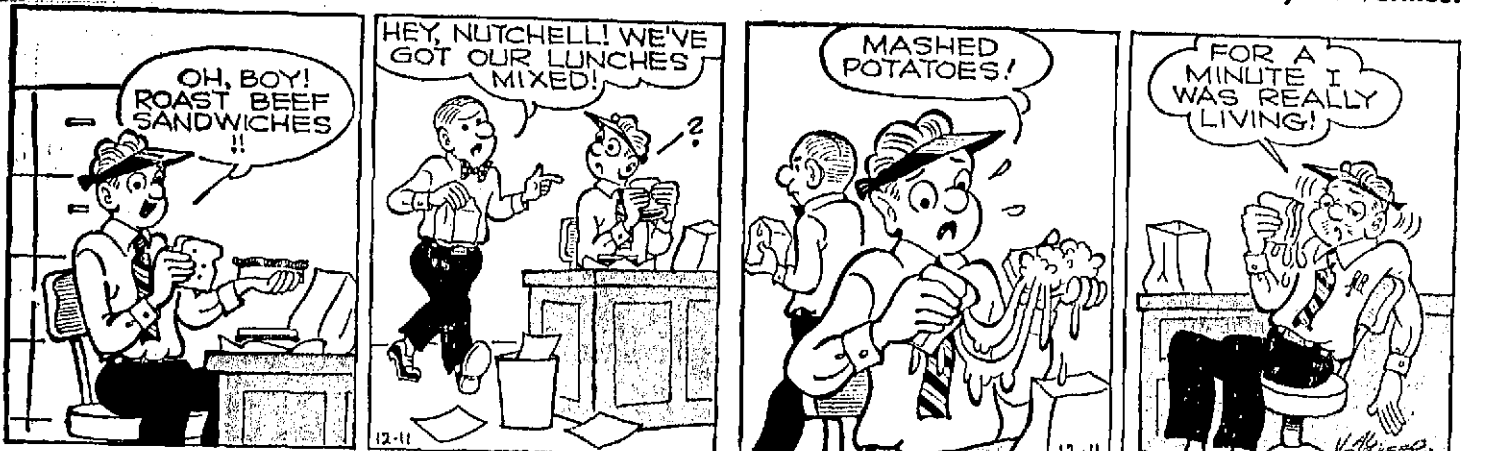
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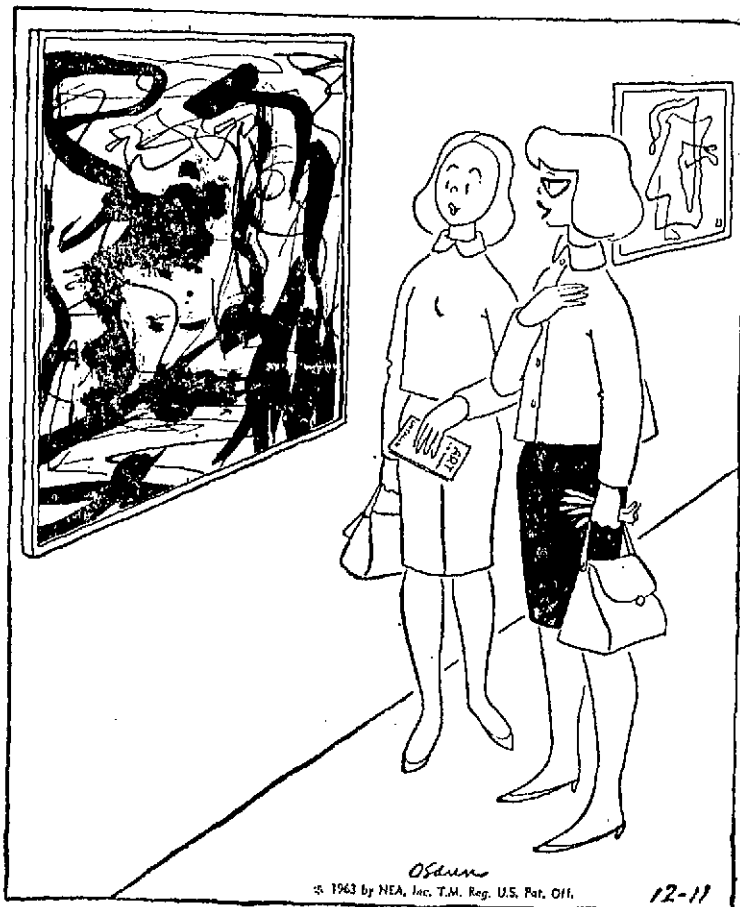
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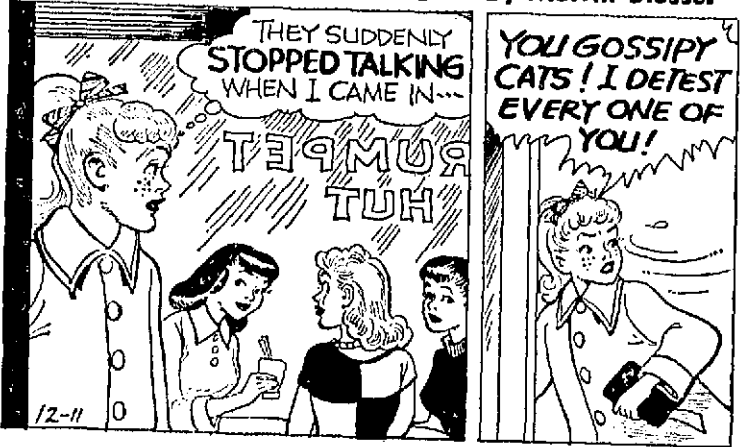
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"Somehow it reminds me of my room!"

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By Merrill Blosser



SHORT RIBS

By Frank O'Neal



SIDE GLANCES

By Gil Fox



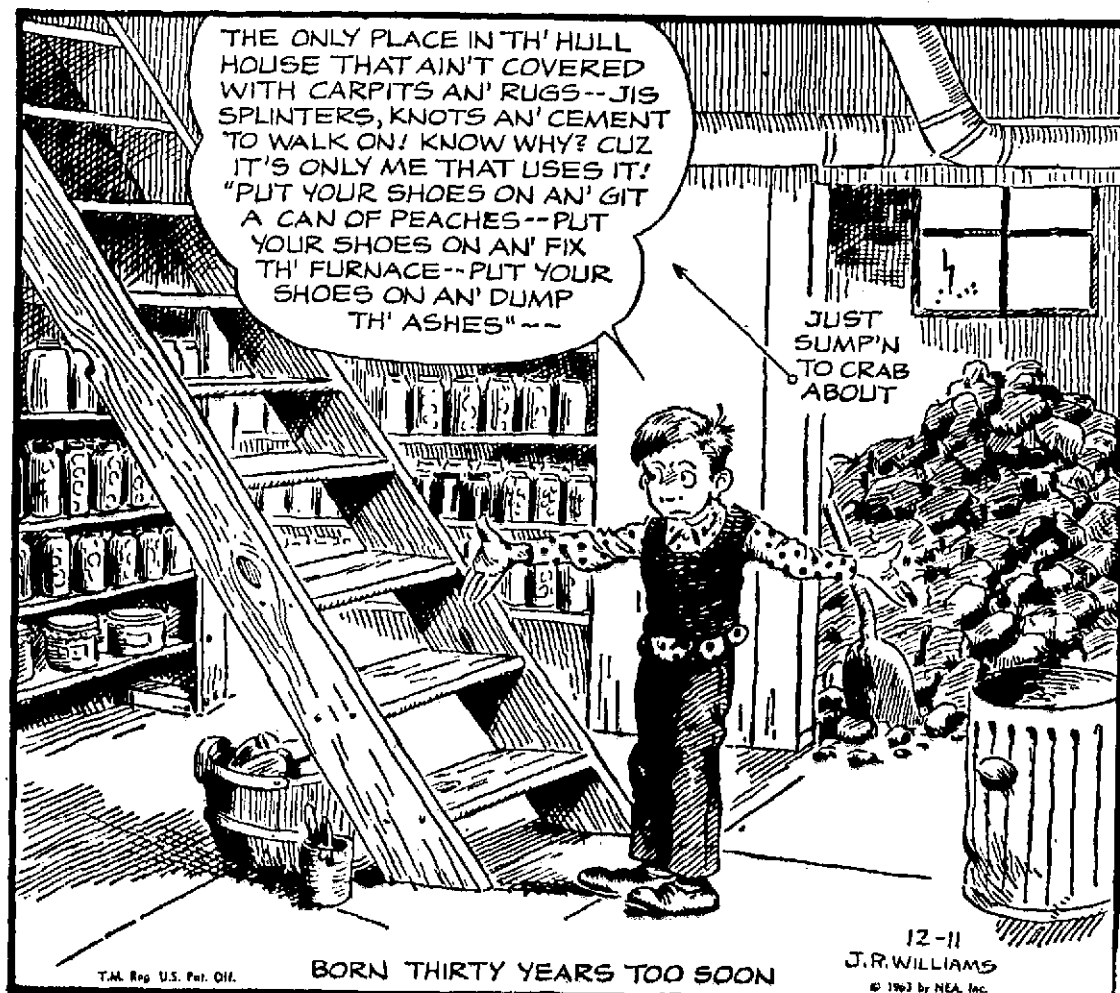
"Well, for one thing, he THINKS a lot!"

OUT OUR WAY

J. R. Williams

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

with Mejer Hoople



Poultry Award for Corn Belt

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — A poultry council executive said Tuesday the efficiency of the American poultry industry created fear in European Common Market countries, leading to the so-called chicken war.

R. F. Frazier, National Poultry Council executive vice president, addressed about 40 poultrymen assembled to receive the council's "Market Builder Awards."

Arkansas ranks second in the nation in poultry production, Frazier said, and the industry was valued at \$153 million last year.

"This means chicken generated business having a value of at least \$75 million in Arkansas," he said.

The council presented 33 of its awards to Arkansas firms for "100 per cent support of programs to stimulate greater demand for poultry."

Some firms got awards in more than one category. The winning companies engaged in either poultry production, feeds or related industries.

The awards went to:

Processors

Arkansas Valley Industries of Dardanelle; Decatur foods, Inc., of Decatur; Franz Food Products of Green Forest; Garrett Poultry Co. of Rogers; Gold Bond Poultry Co. of Rogers; J-M Poultry Co., of El Dorado Lane Poultry Farms of Grannis; Mountaire Poultry Co. of North Little Rock; Ocoma Foods Co. of Berryville.

Plus Poultry, Inc., of Siloam Springs; J. K. Sutherland, Inc., of Batesville; Springdale Farms Service Co. of Springdale; Tyson's Poultry, Inc., of Springdale.

Suppliers

Arkansas Valley Industries of Dardanelle; Jeff D. Brown & Co. of Springdale; Corn Belt Hatcheries of Hope; Gordon B. Dugal of Magnolia; England Feed and Equipment Co. of Rison; Franz Food Products of Green Forest; George Feed and Supply Co. of Springdale; Gold Bond Poultry Co. of Rogers; J-M Poultry Packing Co. of El Dorado.

Johnston Feed Mill of Mena; Lane Poultry farms of Grannis; Mountaire Poultry Co. of North Little Rock; Peterson Produce Co. of Decatur; Red River Feed Co. of Heber Springs; Sevier County Farmers Co-operative of De Queen; Simmons Farms, Inc., of Siloam Springs; J. K. Sutherland, Inc., of Batesville; Tyson's Foods, Inc., of Springdale.

Allied Industries

Abir Acres Southwest Farm, Inc., of Springdale; Arkansas Wirebound Box Co. of Atkins; Brown's LedBrest, Inc., of Springdale; Conn's Pedigreed Chickens, Inc., of Siloam Springs and Peterson Farms, Inc., of Decatur.

Many Take Shots for Diphtheria

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Public health doctors in Adair County, Okla., administered anti-diphtheria inoculations Tuesday and began a count of days which could mean a diphtheria outbreak has been whipped.

But a 38-year-old Siloam Springs, Ark., woman entered a hospital Tuesday at Siloam Springs with diphtheria the first Arkansas case in the current epidemic bordering on Arkansas.

The Arkansas Health Department said Tuesday it had sent 900 units of diphtheria vaccine into Benton County, Ark., which borders on Adair County.

Dr. William L. Bunch Jr., head of the Arkansas department's Division of Communicable Disease Control, said the department has urged that everyone in Arkansas in the area of Adair County be immunized against the disease.

He said, however, that the Siloam Springs woman's case and those in Oklahoma appeared to be unrelated.

A three-year-old boy from Oklahoma has been under treatment at the Siloam Springs hospital since Dec. 6 for diphtheria.

More than 2,000 of Adair County's 13,000 residents have been inoculated against diphtheria in the past several days.

No new cases have been reported in Adair County since Sunday and if six days pass without a new case "our chances of having it whipped are real good," said Dr. W. E. Parkhurst, assistant chief of county health services for the Oklahoma Health Department.

Thirteen diphtheria cases have been reported in the county and six persons still are hospitalized. Deaths of two children have been attributed to diphtheria, although no tests were made on the children to determine the cause of death, Parkhurst said.

A third death in which diph-

Cotton Belt Train Hits Stalled Auto

FORDYCE, Ark. (AP) — A Cotton Belt freight train plowed through an automobile stalled on a railroad crossing at Fordyce Tuesday, injuring four Fordyce Negroes, one critically.

Edward Beets, 4, was transferred by ambulance to a Little Rock hospital, where he was placed on the critical list.

Hospitalized at Fordyce were Mrs. Francis Harris, 45; her daughter, Glenda Sue Harris, 6; and Ruth Gale Smith, 4.

State Trooper Kenneth Rogers said the car, driven by Mrs. Harris, backed out of a parking place in front of a grocery store and onto the tracks, where it stalled.

Steven Hicks, 65, also a Negro of Fordyce, got out of the car and attempted to push it from the tracks.

The train knocked the car down the track between boxcars on tracks on either side of the main line. Parts of the demolished car were scattered for 50 yards along the track, Rogers said.

By the time Arkansas became a state, the steamboat was the chief means of transportation between the East and the West.

Nolan A. McGee of the state

Arkansas Farmers Follow Trend

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—Arkansas' cotton and rice farmers, true to the national trend, voted overwhelmingly Tuesday in favor of one year extensions of federal controls on their crops.

The cotton vote in Arkansas was 9,860 for the extension, 486 against it and 53 votes challenged. One of the 72 counties eligible for the cotton program — Pike County — did not report

Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee office said the turnout was light because of rain in most of the state Tuesday, because many eligible voters were deer hunting, and because farmers take it for granted that the programs will be continued.

The rice vote, with all 36 eligible counties reporting, was 2,006 for the extension, 96 against it and 18 votes challenged.

Two-thirds majorities were required for passage of each extension, but the vote nationally and in Arkansas was well beyond the limit. Arkansas was 95.4 per cent in favor of the rice extension and 95.3 per cent in favor of the cotton extension.

Cotton farmers were asked to decide whether marketing quot-

as and the resulting price support operations would be continued for the 1964 upland and extra-long staple cotton crops. Marketing quotas on cotton have not been defeated since the program was begun in 1939.

The national average support price of \$4.71 for 100 pounds of rice for the 1964 crop has been announced by the Agriculture Department. This will be in effect with the approval of marketing quotas for next year.



Hope, Arkansas

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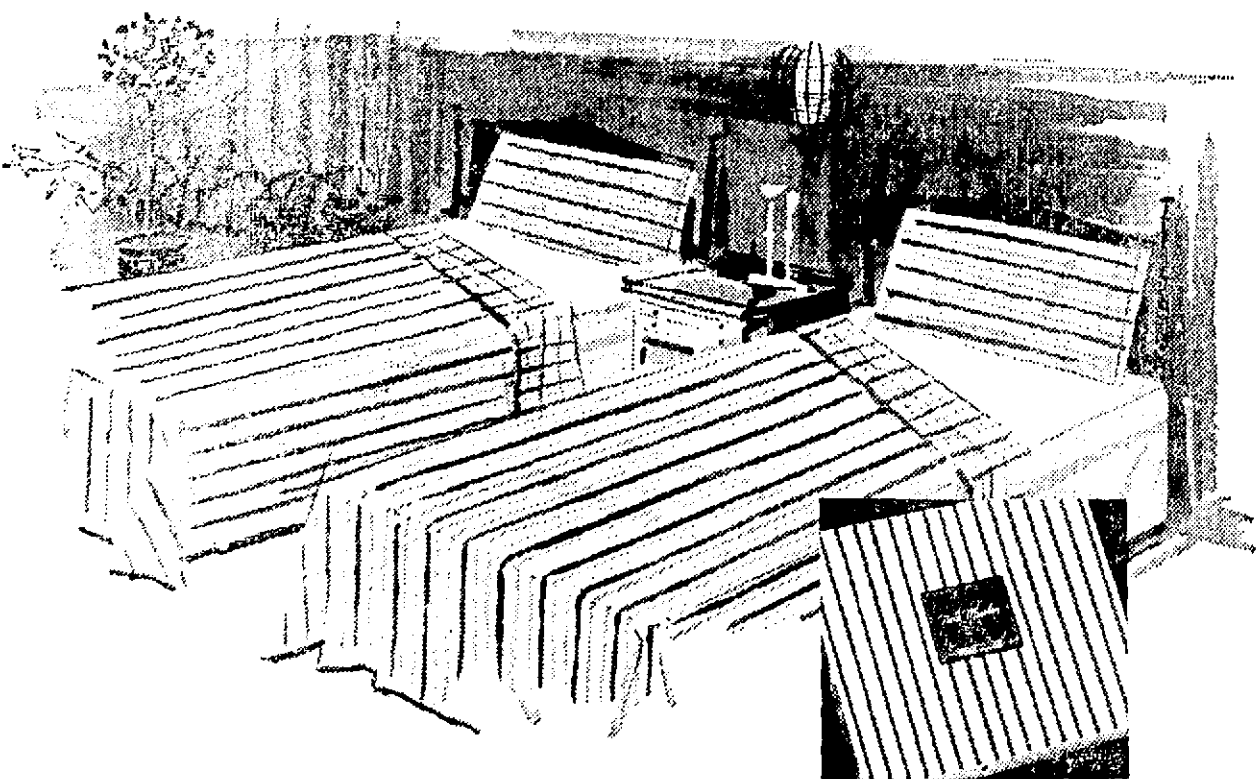
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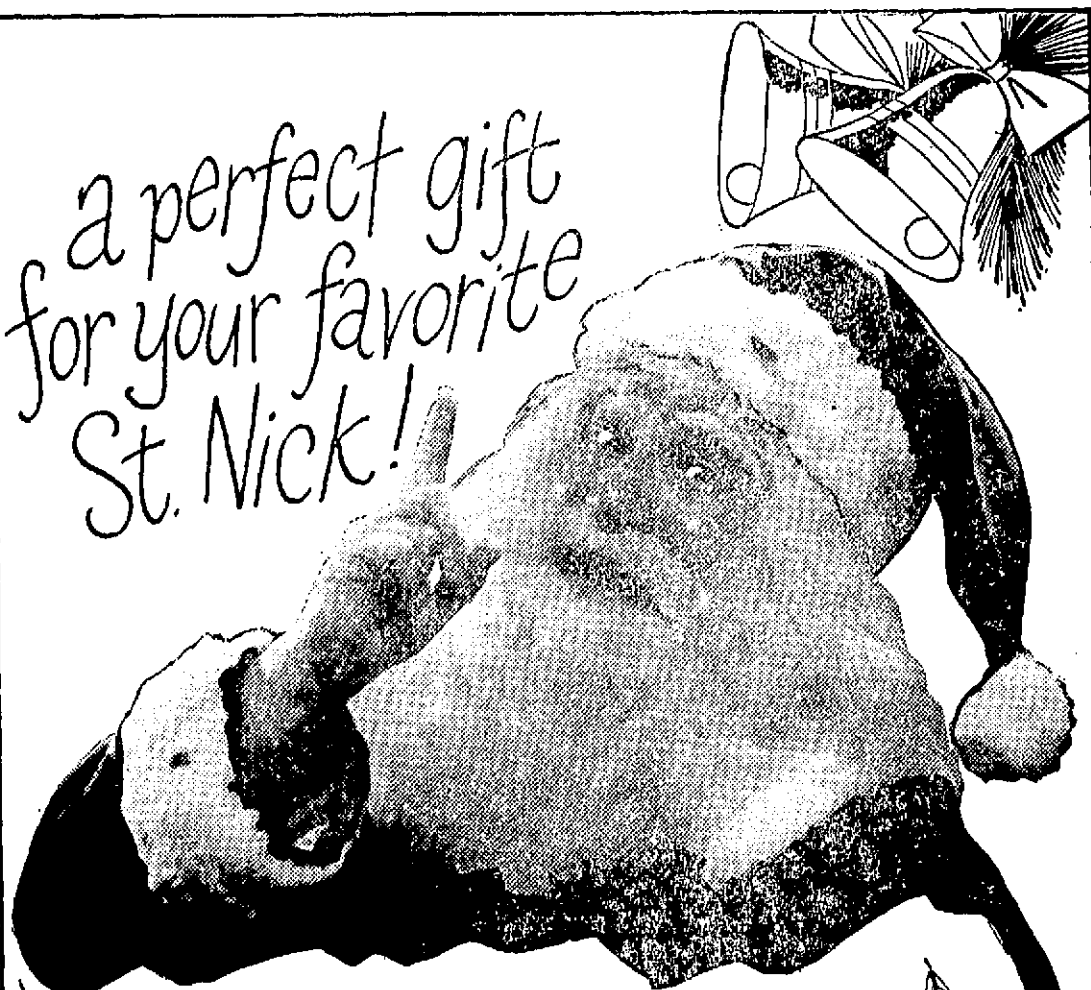
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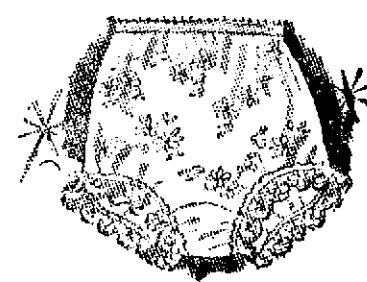


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